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The goal of this directory is to provide information to Minnesota Asian American communities and to assist youth and parents in identifying organizations that have programs targeting Asian American youths.

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Linda Wong
Intern

INTRODUCTION

The *Directory of Asian American Youth Programs in the Twin Cities* is a resource guide listing the prevention, intervention and recreational programs available to Asian American youth and their families. Asian Americans are the fastest growing racial/cultural population in Minnesota. Nearly 50 percent of Asian Americans in Minnesota are under the age of 18 (1990 Census). There is a growing need for programs serving youths. We hope that this guide will help youths and parents in gaining access to existing programs for Asian American youth and that it will encourage the development of more youth programs.

The information was gathered through a survey sent to the 125 organizations listed in the *Directory of Asian American Community Organizations in the Twin Cities*. The organizations who responded, either by returning the survey or through follow-up, are included. The guide lists the name, program, address, who the program serves, and how to participate.

The directory includes information from nonprofit organizations and mutual assistance groups in the Twin Cities area that are "by, for and about Asian Americans." It does not, however, include state offices, religious organizations or student groups. To the best of our knowledge, the information contained in this directory was correct as of December 1996. Undoubtedly, some groups that should have been listed were inadvertently missed; we tried to be as inclusive as possible given the constraints of schedules and resources. To submit corrections and additions to the directory use the form on page 61.

The Asian American Renaissance is a grassroots, community-based organization of Asian Americans with a commitment to building the Asian American community through the arts. For further information about the Renaissance, please feel free to contact us.

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Writers' Bloc

Various workshops conducted for youth in
writing, media literacy and theater.

Services	Arts/culture
Who	Boys Girls Ages 10-18
When	Summer
Where	Various sites
Other Information	--
Enrollment	Call for information By application
Contact	Meejah I-ley, Program Manager



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Asian Media Access

3028 Oregon Avenue South

Minneapolis, MN 55426

Phone: 349-2549

Fax: 373-2751

Annual Media Camp for Asian American Youth

A hands-on media training camp gives students a chance to explore current political and social issues in forms which can effectively reach a broader audience. Students work in groups that specialize in either journal writing, reporting/anchoring or video production. Each student receives broad training in each area, as well as specialized training in their area of choice. In the end they produce a video news program in either English or their language of choice.

Services	Arts/culture Media/journalism
Who	Boys Girls Ages 15 -18 Low-income Underachieving youth in school who never participate in any activities
When	During school (mid-October)
Where	College of St. Catherine
Other Information	Parents can serve as panelists in the camp
Enrollment	Recommended by school teachers and counselors
Contact	Ange Hwang, Executive Director



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East Meets West Cable TV Internship

A series TV program explores the cultural differences between Asians and Westerners. This program is designed to help viewers to break the stereotypical portrayals of Asians, and understand Asian cultures and life styles with emphasis on truth and realism. Most programs focus on comparing Eastern and Western cultures. By looking into different cultures, and discussing the differences in an open and understandable way, we will be able to encourage more interactions between Asians and the mainstream to increase cross-communications that enrich American society as a whole.

Services	Arts/culture	Video production
Who	Boys Girls Ages 15 -18	
When	Weekends Summer During school After school during the week	
Where	St. Paul Neighborhood Network	
Other Information	Students should be interested in various media experiences. Parents can serve as guests on the show.	
Enrollment	Call	
Contact	Ange Hwang, Executive Director	



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Asian Pacific Youth Alliance

3036 Ontario Road

St. Paul, MN 55117

Phone: 484-8311

Fax: 484-8311

Asian Pacific Cultural Leadership Program

This program focuses on the many cultural issues which today's Asian youth face while exploring how these issues can affect one's leadership style and skills. Youth develop leadership skills while participating in community activities and workshops.

Services	Arts/culture Leadership development
Who	Boys Girls Ages 15 -18
When	During school Summer
Where	St. Paul area facilities
Other Information	We are currently developing aspects of the program to include parents. Transportation provided to/from program.
Enrollment	Call Written referral An application must be submitted by the student prior to entering the program
Contact	Karena Lee/Greg Cylkowski, Program Coordinators



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**Association for the Advancement of Hmong
Women in Minnesota**

1518 East Lake Street, Suite 209

Minneapolis, MN 55407

Phone: 724-3066

Fax: 724-3098

Youth and Parents Connection Program

Teach Hmong and Lao traditional dance to
youth.

Services	Arts/culture
Who	Boys Girls Ages 5-15 Youth at risk of gang involvement
When	After school during the week
Where	2925 13th Avenue South Minneapolis, Minnesota
Other Information	There is a policy for children to follow. Parents can volunteer to help chaperone and organize. Parenting class also available. Transportation provided to/from program.
Enrollment	Call Walk-ins accepted
Contact	Ly Vang, Program Director



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Teen Pregnancy

Teach teenage mothers parenting skills.

Services	Counseling Information and referral
Who	Girls Ages 10-15 Youths at risk of negative activities
When	After school during the week During school
Where	At Minneapolis and St. Paul public schools
Other Information	Home visits are made, an informal talk with parents and schools conducted where the organization is the mediator. There is a research evaluation at the end for participants. Transportation provided to/from program.
Enrollment	Call for an application or ask the school Written referral
Contact	Ly Vang, Program Director



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Gang and Crime Prevention

Program provides help for youths at risk of
gang involvement.

Services	Counseling Information and referral
Who	Boys Ages 10-15 Youth at risk of gang involvement
When	After school during the week During school
Where	At Minneapolis and St. Paul public schools
Other Information	There is a research evaluation at the end for participants. Home visits are made; an informal talk with parents and schools conducted where the organization is the mediator. Trans- portation provided to/from program.
Enrollment	Call Written referral
Contact	Ly Vang, Program Director



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Child Welfare Program

A program funded by a state grant. We work with teen mothers in helping them adjust to motherhood.

Services	Counseling Information and referral
Who	Girls Ages 10-18
When	After school during the week
Where	At Minneapolis and St. Paul public schools
Other Information	There is a research evaluation at the end for participants. Home visits are made; an informal talk with parents and schools conducted where the organization is the mediator. Transportation provided to/from program.
Enrollment	Call for an application or ask the school Written referral Girls themselves can enroll
Contact	Ly Vang, Program Director



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CAAM Chinese Dance Theater

P.O. Box 28676
St. Paul, MN 55128
Phone: 954-2176

Dance and Culture Training

Provides training in Chinese cultural heritage
through dance.

Services	Arts/culture Program available in Chinese and English
Who	Boys Girls Ages 5-18
When	Weekends Summer
Where	400 Sibley Street, #192 St. Paul, Minnesota 55101
Other Information	Parents can volunteer or help in the Board directorship
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Jocelyn Kuo, Advisor



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**Centre for Asians and Pacific Islanders
(CAPI)**

3702 East Lake Street, Suite 101

Minneapolis, MN 55406

Phone: 721-0122

Fax: 721-7054

Youth Crime Prevention

The program helps youth stay in school. We focus on high risk youth involving them in a sports program, summer camp etc.

Services	Arts/Culture Counseling Health Information and referral Sports/recreation Program available in Vietnamese, Lao, Hmong	Employment training Homework/tutoring Mentoring
Who	Boys Ages 10-18 Youth at risk of dropping out of high school	Girls
When	After school during the week Weekends Summer	
Where	At CAPI	
Other Information	The group is in close contact with parents and guardians to inform them of a student's progress. Transportation provided to/from program.	
Enrollment	Call Written referral	
Contact	Tan Chau, Employment Project Manager	



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Asian Youth Project

This is a cultural and heritage enhancement
program for young people and their parents.

Services	Arts/culture Counseling Mentoring Information and referral Sports/recreation Program available in Lao and English	Employment training Homework/tutoring
Who	Boys Girls Ages 10-17 Must be from the Twin Cities	
When	After school during the week Summer	
Where	At CAPI and Lao Parents and Teachers Association	
Other Information	Training available in traditional Southeast Asian folk art: weaving, tie- dyeing, dancing, and needle work.	
Enrollment	Call Written referral	
Contact	Bounxou Chanthraphone, Youth and Cultural Programming Manager	



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Chang Mi Korean Dancers

1103 East Maryland Avenue
St. Paul, MN 55106
Phone: 778-8900

Chang Mi Korean Dance Group

A dance program for girls to learn about Korean culture which they then share with the community.

Services	Arts/culture
Who	Girls Ages 5-18 For adopted Korean girls
When	Weekends
Where	North St. Paul
Other Information	Parents can volunteer and share responsibilities in running the program. A minimal fee is required.
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Mary Klemmensen



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**Chinese American Dance Theater, Inc.
(CADT)**

9705 Northwest Vale Street

Coon Rapids, MN 55433

Phone: 785-3387/757-4054 Fax: 785-3388

Chinese Dance Classes

CADT provides classes in Chinese folk and classical dance techniques and repertory for beginning, intermediate and advanced levels. The organization also provides lecture demonstrations, performances for hire, and has an annual large scale production.

Services	Arts/culture
Who	Girls Ages 6-18
When	Weekends
Where	Ballet Arts at Hennepin Center for the Arts
Other Information	The CADT board is comprised of fourteen members (parents) on a volunteer basis. Volunteer help from parents is always needed to prepare for the annual production.
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Maureen Banyan, Project Director



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Cultural Society of Filipino Americans

3505 Midland Court
White Bear Lake, MN 55110
Phone: 770-2535/293-8780

Filipino Dance Class

Program where students can learn about
Filipino culture and history through folk
dancing.

Services	Arts/culture
Who	Boys Girls Ages 5-18
When	After school during the week
Where	Bethany Baptist Church Roseville, Minnesota
Other Information	Parents can participate
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Linda Davis, Executive Director



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3505 Midland Court

White Bear Lake, MN 55110

Phone: 770-2535 Home: 293-8780

Tagalog Language Class

A class to learn the national language of the
Philippines.

Services	Arts/culture
Who	Boys Girls All ages welcomed
When	After school during the week
Where	Bethany Baptist Church Roseville, Minnesota
Other Information	Parents can participate
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Linda Davis, Executive Director



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Fil-Minnesota Association

7415 5th Avenue South
Richfield, MN 55423
Phone: 861-2397/773-1461

Fil-Minnesota Youth Organization

The group has educational, social, civic, and cultural projects and community activities. Our goal is to become acquainted with and to help in the Filipino community.

Services	Arts/culture Information and referral Mentoring
Who	Boys Girls Ages 5-18
When	Weekends
Where	7415 5th Avenue South Richfield, Minnesota
Other Information	We offer parenting seminars and encourage parents to participate in projects
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Lita Malicsi, President



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**Hmong American Mutual Assistance
Association**

1209 Glenwood Avenue North

Minneapolis, MN 55405

Phone: 374-2694

Fax: 374-5205

Youth Empowerment Partners

The program works with youth and families in trying to reduce truancy and delinquency rates among Hmong youth in Minneapolis.

Services	Arts/culture Mentoring Counseling Sports/recreation Employment training Homework/tutoring Program available in Hmong
Who	Boys Girls Ages 5-18 Youth exposed to gang recruitment
When	After school during the week Weekends Summer
Where	At HAMAA and community sites
Other Information	Parents forum program available. Transportation provided to/from program.
Enrollment	Call Walk-ins accepted
Contact	James Vue, Executive Director



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Young Dreamers

The goal is to promote leadership, teach life long skills, involve youth in the community, and encourage academic achievement among Hmong youth in Minneapolis.

Services	Arts/culture Mentoring Employment training Sports/recreation Homework/tutoring Program available in Hmong
Who	Boys Ages 5-18 Girls Youth who either have been involved or are at risk of involvement with gangs and/or general crime
When	After school during the week Weekends Summer
Where	At HAMAA
Other Information	Parents can help with group facilitation. Programs include music (traditional and modern), community involvement, computer lessons, etc. Transportation provided to/from program.
Enrollment	Call Written referral Walk-ins accepted
Contact	James Vue, Executive Director



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Hmong American Partnership

Spruce Tree Centre
1600 West University Avenue, Suite 12
St. Paul, MN 55104
Phone: 642-9601/603-8319 Fax: 603-8399

Leading Edge

A career and leadership program for Hmong college age youth. Programs range from job and internship placement, mentoring with career partners (individual professional mentors in a student's career interest area), as well as academic support and advising.

Services	Arts/culture Mentoring Information and referral Employment training
Who	Boys Girls Ages 18-28 Hmong youth Youth at risk of gang involvement
When	During school After school during the week Weekends Summer
Where	At HAP and off-site facilities
Other Information	Parents are encouraged to attend community events planned and implemented by Leading Edge participants.
Enrollment	Call Walk-ins accepted
Contact	Leslie McMurray, LE Program Coordinator



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PEEM Tsheel (Struggle for Success)

A drug and crime prevention program for Hmong youth that helps teens build their capacity to choose a path that will lead them to personal success. Services include goal-setting, case management and peer support, culturally-based recreational and social activities, collaborations with juvenile correctional facilities, and community education.

Services	Arts/culture Information and referral Counseling Sports/recreation Homework/tutoring Program available in Hmong
Who	Boys and Girls Ages 12-21 At risk youth (corrections, truancy, mental health concerns)
When	During school Weekends After school during the week Summer
Where	At HAP and off-site facilities, includ- ing home visits
Other Information	Services and activities available to parents/guardians of youth enrolled. All Hmong teenagers and families welcomed. Transportation provided to/from program.
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Britt Anderson, Development and Communication Assistant



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1600 West University Avenue, Suite 12
St. Paul, MN 55104
Phone: 642-9601 Fax: 603-8399

Hluas Hmoob Tsim Nuj (Hmong Youth Pride)

A drug and crime prevention program for Hmong youth in grades 4 to 6 at Minneapolis and St. Paul elementary schools. Activities include after-school programs; tutoring and homework assistance; individualized academic plans; a weekly Hmong-centric drug, crime and gang prevention program curriculum; a peer leadership training program; parent training; family activities; home visits; and cultural training.

Services	Arts/culture Mentoring Homework/tutoring Sports/recreation Program available in Hmong
Who	Boys Girls Ages 5-15 Youth at risk of gang involvement
When	After school during the week Weekends Summer
Where	Minneapolis and St. Paul elementary schools, community centers, and other recreational facilities
Other Information	Disabled population not targeted, but always welcomed
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Kelly Yang, HHTN Program Director



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Hmong Minnesota Pacific Association

847 Payne Avenue
St. Paul, MN 55101

Phone: 778-8937

Fax: 778-2413

**Hmong Youth Educational Employment Opportunity
Support Program**

An employment and training program that provides basic steps and remediation, job training programs and work experiences. Our goal is to promote self esteem; emotional, psychological, and physical self sufficiency; and leadership training.

Services	Employment training
Who	Boys Ages 14-21 Girls St. Paul residents Socio-economically disadvantaged
When	After school during the week Summer
Where	At HMPA. Training at various locations around the Twin Cities.
Other Information	Parents must be in agreement about the need to work together and children's participation. Information available at other community and nonprofit organ- izations. Can apply through school counselors.
Enrollment	Call Admittance on a first come first serve basis, but there is no limit for the program Walk-ins accepted
Contact	Eng Her, Director



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Hmong Minnesota Pacific Association

947 Payne Avenue

Minneapolis, MN 55101

Phone: 778-8937

Fax: 778-2413

Early Stage Prevention Program

Community-based prevention program. Provides Hmong youth and families an opportunity to learn through traditional cultural experience to help gain communication and social skills towards becoming more productive members of the community. The goal is to minimize and prevent Hmong youth involvement in negative activities.

Services	Information and referral
Who	Boys Girls Ages 5-13 Youth at risk of gang involvement
When	After school during the week
Where	At HMPA
Other Information	Parents can volunteer in the classroom and the educational programs offered by the organization. Families are encouraged to participate. Transportation provided to/from program.
Enrollment	Call Written referral Enrollment on a first-come first-serve basis Walk-ins accepted
Contact	Eng Her, Director



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Hmong Nquamtoj, Inc.

P.O. Box 8084
110 East 31st Street
Minneapolis, MN 55408
Phone: 825-5663 Fax: 825-3976

Youth Events/Cultural Shows

Annual youth activities.

Services	Arts/culture Information and referral Sports/recreation
When	Summer
Who	Boys Girls All ages welcomed
Where	National Sports Center
Other Information	--
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Chanhia Yang, President



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Intercultural Youth Club

415 Marshall Avenue

St. Paul, MN 55109

Phone: 228-9311

Fax: 228-9363

Intercultural Youth Club

The Club is designed to promote positive educational and social functions while deglamorizing violence and gangs.

Services	Arts/culture Employment training Homework/tutoring Mentoring Sports/recreation
Who	Boys Girls Ages 5-18
When	After school during the week Weekends Summer
Where	390 Arundel Street St. Paul, MN 55103
Other Information	Parents or guardians are considered support staff and are included in planning events
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Jay Rusthoven, IYC Sponsor



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Japan American Society of Minnesota

43 Main Street Southeast

Minneapolis, MN 55414-4120

Phone: 627-9357

Fax: 379-4120

Japan American Society of Minnesota

We have ongoing programs that involve youth and their families in a cultural celebration at New Year. We also have a program called "Japan in a Suitcase," which goes to various high schools and provides a presentation on Japanese culture.

Services	Arts/culture
Who	Boys Girls Ages 5-18
When	During school After school during the week
Where	Host site varies
Other Information	Minimal fees or membership required in Society. Parents can participate.
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Katharyn Klibanoss, Executive Director



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Lao Assistance Center of Minnesota

1015 Olson Memorial Highway

Minneapolis, MN 55405

Phone: 374-4967

Fax: 374-4821

Youth and Families Prevention and Intervention

We attempt to provide services that address a variety of youth problems, including prevention and intervention, employment and parenting education. We are open to everyone.

Services	Arts/culture Information and referral Employment training Sports/recreation Homework/tutoring Program available in Lao	Counseling Mentoring
Who	Boys Girls Ages 8-21 Disabled Youth at risk of gang involvement	
When	During school After school during the week	Weekends Summer
Where	At LAC and schools	
Other Information	Parents can participate in the parent advisory council or help on field trips or youth activities. Educational field trips, youth and family activities available.	
Enrollment	Call Walk-ins accepted Written referral	
Contact	Foun Manivanh, Executive Director	



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Juvenile Delinquency Recovering Project

All kinds of youth problems are addressed at the center. We provide intervention services to youth and families for high risk incarcerated youth with employment, and work with the juvenile courts, alternative schooling, counseling, and mentoring.

Services	Arts/culture Counseling Information and referral Mentoring Employment training Sports/recreation Homework/tutoring Program available in Lao
Who	Boys Ages 8-21 Girls Disabled Youth at risk of gang involvement
When	During school Weekends After school during the week Summer
Where	At LAC and schools
Other nformation	Parents can participate in the parent advisory council or help on field trips or youth activities. Educational field trips, youth and family activities available.
Enrollment	Call Written referral Walk-ins accepted
Contact	Foun Manivanh, Executive Director



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Gang Prevention/ Intervention Program

Assisting students in schools, and creating activities for youth and parents. We serve as advocates for youth and family.

Services	Arts/culture Information and referral Mentoring Employment training Sports/recreation Homework/tutoring Program available in different languages
Who	Boys Ages 5-18 Youth at risk of gang involvement
When	During school After school during the week Weekends Summer
Where	At LAC, schools and in homes
Other Information	Parents can help with meetings and workshops
Enrollment	Call Written referral Release form must be signed by parents/guardians
Contact	Sunny Chanthanouvong, Youth Coordinator



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Lao Family Community of Minnesota, Inc.

320 West University Avenue

St. Paul, MN 55103

Phone: 221-0069

Fax: 221-0276

Hmong Theater and Dance

After school program that provides theater and dance training. Occasionally, other arts are integrated. Performances are held for other youth groups.

Services	Arts/culture Sports/recreation
Who	Boys Girls Ages 10-15
When	After school during the week Summer
Where	At LFCM
Other Information	Parents are welcomed to teach traditional arts and watch performances
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Christina Erickson, Youth and Families Program Manager



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Lao Family Community of Minnesota, Inc.

320 West University Avenue

St. Paul, MN 55103

Phone: 221-0069

Fax: 221-0276

Gang Intervention

Provides activities and case management for youth and their families. Drop-in hours and support groups available.

Services	Counseling Information and referral Sports/recreation
Who	Boys Girls Ages 14-21 Youth involved or at risk of gang involvement
When	After school during the week During school Summer Weekends
Where	At LFCM, or client's home
Other Information	Parental involvement welcomed. Transportation provided to/from program.
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Christina Erickson, Youth and Families Program Manager



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Education and Employment

Provides tutoring groups at St. Paul high schools and job placement assistance. Field trips provided.

Services	Employment training Homework/tutoring Information and referral Sports/recreation
Who	Boys Girls Ages 10-18
When	After school during the week Summer
Where	At LFCM and St. Paul high schools
Other Information	--
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Christina Erickson, Youth and Families Program Manager



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Lao Parents and Teachers Association

430 Bryant Avenue North

Minneapolis, MN 55405

Phone: 374-2447

Fax: 374-5997

Education, Arts, Crime, and Drug Prevention

Encourages Lao American youth to pursue higher education and preserve Lao culture. Discourages Lao American youth from doing illicit or negative activities.

Services	Arts/culture Counseling Information and referral Sports/recreation Homework/tutoring Program available in Lao	
Who	Boys Ages 5-18 Youth at risk to gang recruitment	Girls
When	During school Weekends After school during the week Summer	
Where	At LPTA, schools, park	
Other Information	Youth must follow the rules and regulations of the program. Parents/guardians must agree to their children's enrollment. Transportation provided to/from program.	
Enrollment	Call Intake form Enrollment must be approved Identification required of participants	Walk-ins accepted
Contact	Khao Insiviengmay, Executive Director	



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Nritya Jyoti Dance Theatre

5444 Orchard Avenue North

Crystal, MN 55429

Phone: 537-8291

Kathak Dance of India

We offer year-long classes on classical story-telling Kathak dance of North India. We also offer master classes by touring artists as well as many dance performances.

Services	Arts/culture
Who	Boys Girls Disabled Ages 5-18 Boys must be 10 or older
When	After school during the week Weekends
Where	Lyndale Farmstead Park Building 3900 Bryant Avenue South Minneapolis, MN 55409
Other Information	Parents can volunteer at various levels of teaching, material preparation and at performances
Enrollment	Call Monthly fees of \$26-\$40 \$5 registration fee
Contact	Rita Mustaphi, Artistic Director



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Pom Siab Hmoob Theatre

506 Kenny Road

St. Paul MN 55101

Phone: 772-4788

Fax: 772-4791

Voicemail: 821-9454

Theatre Workshops/Training and Community Shows

We offer opportunities for Hmong Americans to learn writing, acting, and other aspects of theatre productions. In our community and professional touring shows, we audition and encourage all ages to come and contribute their talents in every artistic area. We have a professional theatre touring company and offer workshops and residencies to schools/institutions.

Services	Arts/culture
Who	Boys Girls All ages welcomed
When	After school during the week Weekends
Where	506 Kenny Road St. Paul, MN 55101
Other Information	Contracts and enrollments for people under age 18 are required for workshops and for participating in community shows. Must be able to commit to rehearsal and performance times scheduled for each performance/workshop.
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Teng Xiong, Artistic Director



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Ragamala Music and Dance Theater

13720 James Avenue

Burnsville, MN 55337

Phone: 894-9785

Fax: 894-9795

Indian Classical Dance

Instruction in "Bharatanatyam," a classical
dance form from India.

Services	Arts/culture
Who	Boys Girls Ages 5-18
When	After school during the week Weekends Summer
Where	Burnsville and downtown Minneapolis
Other Information	Parents can volunteer to help in programs
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Ranee Ramaswamy, Artistic Director



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**Sansei Yonsei Kai Children and Adults
Japanese Dance Group**

1112 Benton Way
Arden Hills, MN 5112
Phone: (H) 484-3670 (W) 631-9157
Fax: 631-0587

Japanese Classical and Folk Dancing

Instruction for groups of children and adult
dancers.

Services	Arts/culture
Who	Girls Ages 5-18
When	After school during the week Weekends Summer
Where	Most practices are in Roseville
Other Information	Adults are encouraged to dance. Parents can help prepare and share responsibilities for the classes.
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Linda van Dooijeweert, Dance Director



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**Southeast Asian Community Coalition for
Youth and Families**

1821 University Avenue, #S276

St. Paul, MN 55104

Phone: 641-7290

Fax: 641-7291

Youth Crime and Drug Prevention and Intervention

Provides programs and activities for youth.

Services	Arts/culture Counseling Information and referral Mentoring Employment training Sports/recreation Homework/tutoring Program available in Hmong, Khmer, Lao
Who	Boys Girls Ages 5-18 Youth at risk of gang involvement
When	During school After school during the week Weekends Summers
Where	Agency and service sites
Other Information	Parent education programs offered, as well as holistic and family-centered services. Transportation provided to/ from program.
Enrollment	Call Written referral
Contact	Kim Dettmer, Program Manager



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Southeast Asian Community Council

423 Bryant Avenue North
Minneapolis, MN 55405
Phone: 377-0778 Fax: 377-0240

Tutorial Program

This program provides tutoring to children who would like additional help with reading, writing and math skills.

Services	Arts/culture Homework/tutoring Program available in Hmong
Who	Boys Girls Children in grades K-8 only Limited to North Minneapolis children
When	After school during the week
Where	At SACC
Other Information	Parents can support the children through a parents group. Transporta- tion provided to/from program.
Enrollment	Call Phone referral
Contact	Xee T. Lee, Children/Youth Outreach Worker



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Youth Leadership Development

This program is to support youth by providing continuing leadership training, career counseling, entry level job placement, and improved access to higher education.

Services	Employment training Information and referral Sports/recreation Program available in Hmong
Who	Boys Girls High school to college age students
When	After school during the week Weekends Summer
Where	At SACC
Other Information	Each year one student wins a trip to Washington, D.C.
Enrollment	Call Phone referral
Contact	Xee T. Lee, Children/Youth Outreach Worker



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Phone: 377-0778

Fax: 377-0240

Sports Program

This program gives Southeast Asian youth access to different opportunities all year round.

We have different sports activities such as soccer, volleyball and basketball.

Services	Sports/recreation
Who	Boys Girls Ages 15 -18
When	After school during the week Weekends Summer
Where	At SACC
Other Information	--
Enrollment	Call Phone referral
Contact	Xee T. Lee, Children/Youth Outreach Worker



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Fax: 377-0240

Traditional Dance Program

Teach children the art of traditional Hmong dance. Perform by invitation at school sites or special occasions. Every year we conclude by performing at the Hmong New Year.

Services	Arts/culture
Who	Boys Girls Ages 7-16 Limited to North Minneapolis children
When	After school during the week Weekends Summer
Where	Redeemer Lutheran Church 1800 Glenwood Avenue North Minneapolis, MN 55105
Other Information	Parents can participate in a parent's group that supports the children. Must sign an agreement paper. Transportation provided to/from program.
Enrollment	Call Phone referral
Contact	Xee T. Lee, Children/Youth Outreach Worker



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Theater Mu

711 West Lake Street, Suite #212

Minneapolis, MN 55408

Phone: 824-4804

Fax: 824-3396

E-mail: mu@future.net

Outreach Program

Theater workshops on performing, writing and acting.

Services	Arts/culture
Who	Boys Girls Ages 5-18
When	During school After school during the week Weekends Summer
Where	At host location
Other Information	We provide workshops and programs on demand. Parents are encouraged to participate. Theater Mu has worked with Southeast Asian Community Coalition for Youth and Families.
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Zaraawar Mistry, Managing Director



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**University of the Philippines Alumni
Association**

636 Pederson Circle

St. Paul, MN 55119

Phone: 738-8706

Fax: 297-8735

Annual Essay Contest

Alumni Association sponsors an essay contest every June in order to commemorate the Independence Day of the Philippines. The theme of the essay is "What does it mean to be a Filipino-American?"

Services	Arts/culture
Who	Boys Girls Third and fourth year high school students
When	Summer
Where	Varies yearly
Other Information	For students of Filipino heritage
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Pat Escobar, Board Chair



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Urban Communities Association

333 12th Street

Minneapolis, MN 55404

Phone: 870-4416

Fax: 870-0417

Variety of Programs

Holistic programs for youths.

Services	Homework/tutoring Information and referral Mentoring Sports/recreation
Who	Boys Girls Ages 5-15 All minority youth
When	After school during the week Weekends
Where	At Central Lutheran Church
Other Information	Parents can help with planning
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Charles Crowley, Executive Director



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Vietnamese Social Services in Minnesota

1821 University Avenue South, Suite S250

St. Paul, MN 55104

Phone: 641-8906

Fax: 641-8908

Youth Crime and Drug Prevention and Intervention

Provide services for Vietnamese youth and families.

Services	Arts/culture Counseling Employment training Health Homework/tutoring Information and referral Sports/recreation Program available in English as a Second Language
Who	Boys Girls Ages 14-21
When	During school After school during the week Summer Weekends
Where	Various locations
Other Information	Transportation provided to/from program
Enrollment	Call Written referral
Contact	Bich Chu, Youth Program Coordinator



Wilder Social Adjustment Program for Southeast Asians

450 North Syndicate Street

St. Paul, MN 55104

Phone: 647-9676

Fax: 644-1170

Wilder Social Adjustment Program for Southeast Asians

School and community-based outreach to students with academic or behavior problems, including truancy, temper, and depression. Problem-solving/activity groups meet in various schools. Outreach also provided to parents to help with acculturation problems.

Services	Counseling Mentoring Information and referral Program available in Hmong, Lao, Khmer, and Vietnamese
Who	Boys Girls At risk or disabled All ages welcomed
When	During school Daily 8:30 to 5:00 After school during the week
Where	At WSAPSA or any school requesting help
Other Information	The focus of all intervention is the family. Parental participation encour- aged. Assessments for youth with behav- ioral or emotional difficulty, as well as family counseling offered. Transporta- tion provided to/from program.
Enrollment	Call
Contact	Diane Dovenberg, CSW, LMFT Coordinator



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Women's Association of Hmong and Lao

506 Kenny Road

St. Paul, MN 55101

Phone: 772-4788

Fax: 772-4791

Prevention/ Intervention

A brand new program for 1997. We work with parents and daughters to understand the truancy law and how to prevent youth from being truant.

Services	Information and referral
Who	Girls Ages 10-15 At risk youth (truant or have been through corrections system)
When	After school during the week
Where	At community centers, school and probation office
Other Information	A parental support program is offered. Parents must be actively involved in the contract between girls and the corrections system (county attorney's office).
Enrollment	Referral through school or probation office
Contact	Kaying Yang, Executive Director



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Chinese

CAAM Chinese Dance Theater	Dance and Culture Training
Chinese American Dance Theater, Inc. (CADT)	Chinese Dance Classes

Filipino/a

Cultural Society of Filipino Americans	Filipino Dance Class
Fil-Minnesota Association	Tagalog Language Class
University of the Phillipines Alumni Association	Fil-Minnesota Youth Organization
	Annual Essay Contest

Hmong

Association for the Advancement of Hmong Women in Minnesota	Child Welfare Program
	Gang and Crime Prevention
	Teen Pregnancy
	Youth and Parents Connection Program
Centre for Asians and Pacific Islanders (CAPI)	Youth Crime Prevention



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Nritya Jyoti Dance Theatre	Kathak Dance of India
Ragamala Music and Dance Theater	Indian Classical Dance

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Japan American Society of Minnesota	Japan American Society of Minnesota
Sansei Yonsei Kai Children and Adults Japanese Dance Group	Japanese Classical and Folk Dancing



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Southeast Asian Community Council	Sports Program Traditional Dance Program Tutorial Program Youth Leadership Development
Wilder Social Adjustment Program for Southeast Asians	Wilder Social Adjustment Program for Southeast Asians

Korean

Chang Mi Korean Dancers	Chang Mi Korean Dance Group
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Korean Adoptee

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Lao

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Vietnamese

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Islanders (CAPI)

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Minnesota

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| CAAM Chinese Dance Theater | Dance and Culture Training |
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Centre for Asians and Pacific Islanders (CAPI)	Youth Crime Prevention
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- ☐ A new program not currently listed in the directory.
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Organization address: _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

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Youth program name: _____

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